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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application, including seven sheets of formal drawings, of inventors:  
**Raynold M. Kahn, Gregory J. Gagnon, Christopher P. Curren and Thomas H. James**  
for: **DISTRIBUTION OF VIDEO CONTENT USING CLIENT TO HOST PAIRING OF INTEGRATED RECEIVERS/DECODERS**

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	Attorney Docket Number      PD-200289		

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